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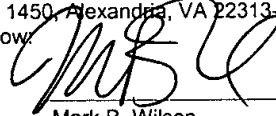
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RE: *U.S. Patent Application No. 10/023,437 entitled "METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR VACCINATION COMPRISING NUCLEIC ACID AND/OR POLYPEPTIDE SEQUENCES OF CHLAMYDIA" – Stephen A. Johnston et al.*
Our reference: UTSD:736US
Client reference: UTSMC/DAL:736


Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, and references A2-A3, B1-B2, C31-C32.

No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the appropriate fees from Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No.: 50-1212/UTSD:736US.

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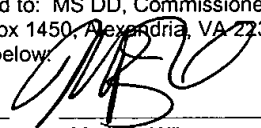
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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g), (h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

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Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

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	A2	5,212,062	5/18/93	Daniels <i>et al.</i>	435	7.36	9/6/91
	A3	5,989,553	11/23/99	Johnston <i>et al.</i>	424	190.1	12/30/97

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	B1	WO 02/053588	7/11/02	PCT			
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Other Art (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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